

# Learning Styles



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# Visual (spatial) Style



- You prefer images, pictures, colours, concept maps
- You have a good sense of direction

## **Learning techniques**

Use visual aids, PowerPoint presentations

Try WikiEducator pages

Replace words with images

Use highlighters

Create mind maps or concept maps to learn.

You may also do well capturing your thoughts on video.

# Auditory Style



- You like to work with music and rhythm
- You have a sense of music

## Learning Techniques

Use rhymes, rap songs to learn  
Play background music when you learn  
Tape your content and replay the same  
Say your answers aloud  
Discuss with some one what you learn

# Verbal Style



- You enjoy tongue twisters, word games
- You have a good vocabulary

## **Learning techniques**

You learn best by listening to lectures, tapes or by reading.

Words make sense to you.

Consolidate what you learn by paraphrasing, writing a summary or posting an article on a blog.

# Kinesthetic style



- You are an animated person
- You like to be on the move
- You are good at sports and like outdoor activity

## Learning techniques

Project work, Field trips, excursions are the best for learners like yourself

Role Play and Dramatization will be helpful to you.

Hands-on experiences, experimentation are suited to your style

# Logical style

- You are analytical in your ways
- You think wholistically and are probably good at Mathematics and Sciences

## **Learning techniques**

You learn best when you see logic in what you learn.

So analyze what you learn, question yourself

Have a discussion with others.

Experiment to learn.

# Interpersonal style



- You are friendly by nature
- You enjoy social gatherings

## **Learning techniques**

Try Co-operative Learning Methods  
Try teaching content to a friend  
You will enjoy group work, discussions, brainstorming

# Intrapersonal style

- You spend time with yourself and are in touch with your inner world.

## **Learning techniques**

Try reflective methods.

Maintain a diary to note down your thoughts

You will learn best when you interact with yourself



- Generally we are mixed learners exhibiting a combination of two or more styles. Find your style by taking a test.

<http://www.learning-styles-online.com/inventory/>

- Then identify learning techniques that suit you and learn happily.
- Teachers may invite learners to take the test and help them learn better by providing learning experiences that suit the learner. Including more than one type of learning experience ensures that more learners will be benefited.
- All the best!!